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THE OWOSSO TIMES.

EDMUND O. DEWEY, EDITOR.

OWOSSO, FRIDAY, AUG. 11, 1899.

Reed City Clarion: In an open letter to The Free Press, James O'Donnell, of Jackson, has declared himself as a candidate for the republican nomination for Governor in 1900. His platform, he says, would be the cutting off of unnecessary expenditures in the state administration. No better man in Michigan for Governor, than Jimmy O'Donnell, and he ought to have the nomination at the next republican State convention by acclamation.

Political Tide in the West.

From St. Louis Globe Democrat:
No calamity party is in sight for next year. Its foundation has gone to pieces. Nebraska banks report deposits amounting to \$21,000,000. In the dark days of the Cleveland failure and the Bryan scare, the Nebraska bank deposits amounted to only \$11,000,000. They have doubled under a republican administration. Bryan is renominated, will be pushed hard in Nebraska. Though state pride is enlisted in behalf of a second trial, the republican vote has grown since 1896. The fusion plurality last year was only 2981 for governor, the republicans carrying the legislature and gaining a senator. Bryan has no certainty in Nebraska in 1900. In fact, the chances are the other way. Some of the western states in his list before are sure to go against him next year. One of these is Washington. Bryan's anti-expansion views alone settle that. Washington is for commercial development on the Pacific. Its republican plurality last year was 8023, quite a change from Bryan's 12,493 in 1896.

Kansas has parted company with the silver party. Its republican plurality last year was 15,870. Kansas and Washington combined take fourteen electoral votes from the Bryan column. A change of 1600 votes last fall would have given Nebraska and South Dakota to the republicans. The gains of republican congressmen in the trans-Mississippi states last November were remarkable, and had the high distinction of saving the house. All of Nebraska's neighboring states are as prosperous as itself, and can match its increase in deposits. Speaking in the light of mathematical facts, Bryan's prospects in the states west of the Mississippi have generally faded. Figures of all kinds prove it. Nor can he count on gains east of the Mississippi, unless in Kentucky, in which the democratic party at present is more seriously divided than in 1896. The facts in the case suggest a change in the democratic candidate, but even that might cost more votes than it would gain. Prosperity, expansion and sound money are a winning combination.

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What does it do?

It causes the oil glands in the skin to become more active, making the hair soft and glossy, precisely as nature intended.

It cleanses the scalp from dandruff and thus removes one of the great causes of baldness.

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Would you like a copy of our book on the Hair and Scalp? It is free.

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Why Trust Them?

The republican party gave the country a protective tariff. Now watch the ever increasing exports: In 1895, \$807,000,000; in 1896, \$882,000,000; in 1897, \$1,000,000,000; in 1898, \$1,231,000,000; and the present fiscal year completed on the 30th of June instant, shows larger figure even than the last one. And yet democratic free traders predicted—they wouldn't have it any other way—that republican protection would destroy our foreign commerce by killing off our exports. What prophets!—and why should the country further trust them?—Mansfield (O.) News.

More Work Than Men.

The newspapers of Pittsburgh unite in declaring that there is more work to be done in that city than there are men to do it. The big iron and steel plants are advertising for more men and the supply does not equal the demand. With the invitation extended to come and go to work, positions are awaiting men to fill them. All the big manufacturing plants are crowded with orders and are working, many of them, night and day. They want more men to keep up with their orders.

This is the situation in one of the great eastern manufacturing centers; how is it in the west?

The farmers of the northwest are now gathering their crops, and an appeal is made to the country for men. Good wages are being paid but the farmers are in need of hundreds of laborers. The railroads have been appealed to and have made greatly reduced rates to workmen in the east, which enables them, for a small sum, to go to the northwest, where they are certain of work. This reduction in rates has failed to secure the men necessary and yesterday another meeting of railway officials was held in Chicago and a further reduction in rates ordered.—Toledo Blade.

This is another cause for democratic indictment of the policy of the republican party. The conditions noted at Pittsburgh are found everywhere. There is work and wages for every willing hand and the supply of men in every industry is short of the requirements.

Gov. Roosevelt Talks Plainly.

Ocean Grove, N. J., Aug. 8.—Governor Theodore Roosevelt of New York was the guest of honor at the Ocean Grove summer school tonight, when he delivered an address upon "Practical Politics and Decent Politics," before an audience of 10,000 people.

At Ocean Grove he was met by a great crowd and one hundred bicyclists escorted him to his stopping place. In front of the house a company of boys dressed as rough riders saluted him, to his great delight.

The audience tonight was so extraordinary enthusiastic that Governor Roosevelt was obliged to beg the people to moderate their cheering.

SPEECH OF ROOSEVELT.

Governor Roosevelt spoke on "Practical Politics and Decent Politics." He said in part:

"It is idle for the mass of good citizens to try to set themselves apart as not responsible for our shortcomings. In the end the politicians must be exactly what the people allow them to be. They must represent the people—perhaps the vice, perhaps the virtue, perhaps the indifference of the people. This does not in the least excuse politicians that are bad and we must keep in mind the fact that every vicious politician tends to debauch public conscience, to render bad men bolder and decent men who are not far sighted, more cynically indifferent than ever. But in blaming the politicians, do not forget that we are ourselves to blame for permitting his existence. Again do not fall into the mistake of thinking that we shall ever make politics better by hysterics in any shape or form.

"It is a shame to us as a nation that we should have tolerated in a city like New York, an administration against which it is necessary to war, not on grounds of political expediency, but on grounds of elementary morality.

Just at this moment the nation is face to face with a duty that calls for heroism. I mean our attitude in the Philippines.

"We put our pick into the rotten foundation of Spanish government, both in the East and West Indies. We tumbled the building down in as righteous a war as was ever undertaken. Now if we are in our place among the great nations of the earth, we must see to it that the ruins are cleared away and that the temple of justice and honesty reared in their places. We shall be guilty of a terrible wrong to humanity if in the Philippines we retreat before armed slavery instead of organizing a suitable government which shall guarantee justice to every one and an ever-increasing measure of liberty to those who show themselves worthy of it. It will call for the merest fraction of our strength, provided only we choose to exert that strength. If, however, the people let their representatives in congress hamper the administration as they did last winter when they refused to put the army upon a proper footing, then the people have themselves to thank if the war lingers with difficulties and dangers increased. What the people have to do is to resolve to back up the president to the full in seeing that the outburst of savagery is repressed once for all, and what is even more important, to see that these new tropic islands in the east and west alike are not left to the prey of partisans and spoilsmen but are governed primarily in the interest of their inhabitants and therefore ultimately for the honor and renown of America."

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Is the Standard of Coffee Excellence by which all Coffee Quality is Compared.

No. 51. Dining Room Table Cloth.
Table Cloth, white with red bars. Size 50 x 66 inches.
Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 60 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 52. Lady's Apron.
Fine quality white lawn, wide strings and fancy lace insertion. Size 32 x 40 inches.
Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 25 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 53. A Dress Pattern.
12 yards printed dress, 20 inches wide, 3 eels, one to select from, Pink, Blue, Black, Pearl and Nile Green.
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Each Curtain a yard wide two and three-quarter yards long.
Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 65 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 55. Four Handkerchiefs.
Four Good Housewife's Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, colored borders, size 16 1/2 x 16 1/2 inches.
Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 20 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 56. Six Handkerchiefs.
Six Ladies' Pocket Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, colored borders, size 12 1/2 x 12 1/2 inches.
Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 20 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 57. A Pair of Scissors.
Made by the best American manufacturers and well finished. 6 1/2 inches long.
Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 15 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 58. A Pair of Shears.
Of the best American make, 8 inches long.
Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 15 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 59. Razor made by J. R. Torrey.
The J. R. Torrey Razor is known as the best made in the United States. The printed guarantee of the manufacturer goes with each razor.
Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 25 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 60. Lady's Belt.
Latest style, grain leather tan color 1 1/2 in. wide, nickel plated buckle. Belts are following sizes only, give size in inches when ordering, from 22 to 26 in.; from 27 to 32 in.; from 33 to 38 in.
Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 30 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 61. Man's Belt.
Grain leather, tan color, nickel-plated buckle and rings. When ordering give size of waist in inches. Belts run from 34 to 42 inches in length.
Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 30 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 62. A Carving Knife and Fork.
A first-class set, mounted with genuine bone-horn handles. Knife blade 8 inches long. Sent by express, charges prepaid, on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 50 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee. When ordering name your nearest Express Office as well as your Post Office.

No. 63. A Butcher's Knife.
Six inch blade, hard wood handle, good materials and well finished. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 30 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 64. A Kitchen Knife.
Will cut bread, slice ham and saw the bone. Serviceable, and should be in every kitchen. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 14 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 65. A Lady's Pen Knife.
Has two finely finished blades. Handle beautifully variegated in imitation of onyx. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 30 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 66. A Gentleman's Pocket Knife.
Two-bladed knife made of best materials and finished in workmanlike manner. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 40 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 67. Picture Frame.
Cabinet size, brass, silver-plated. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 13 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 68. An X-L Revolver.
Highest grade material and workmanship, 32 calibre, centre-fire double action. Sent by express, charges prepaid by us, on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 150 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee. When ordering name your nearest Express Office as well as your Post Office.

No. 69. A Gentleman's Watch.
The "New Haven" is a watch of the ordinary size. Stem wind and stem set, dust proof, nickel-plated case, solid back. Quick best movement, highly polished steel pinions. Modeled after a standard watch, reliable time-keeper. The printed guarantee of the maker accompanies each watch. Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 90 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 70. A Porcelain Clock.
Imported porcelain frame, beautifully decorated. Movement made by New Haven Clock Co., guaranteed by them a good time-keeper, 4 inches high, same width. Sent by express, charges prepaid by us, on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 115 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee. When ordering name your nearest Express Office as well as your Post Office.

This is a picture of the signature on Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee Wrapper, which you are to cut out and send to us as a voucher.
No other part of the Coffee Wrapper will be accepted as a voucher, nor will this picture be accepted as such.
Arbuckle Bros.
SOME OF OUR SIGNATURES ARE PRINTED ON RED BACKGROUND.
Address all communications to ARBUCKLE BROS., NOTION DEPT., NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.

Probate Court.

The hearing on the probate of the will of Peter Walts, deceased, came before the court and was adjourned to Aug. 17th.

Final accounts were heard and allowed in the matter of the estate of Wells B. Fox and Wm. W. Seymour, deceased.

In the matter of the coal mine drain, C. W. Shipman, O. G. Moore and T. M. Euler were named as special commissioners to determine the necessity of the drain and will meet Aug. 14th at the office of the Owosso Coal Co. in Caledonia township. A 100-foot right of way is wanted, which is refused by only one man. The drain will be two and a half miles long.

Joseph H. Collins was appointed general administrator of the estate of Jeremiah Collins, deceased. F. E. Welch, D. C. Cooper and C. D. Smith were named as commissioners on claims.

Application for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Catherine Fauble, deceased, to be heard Aug. 14th. Application for appointment of special commissioners in the matter of Looking Glass River No. 3 drain to be heard on Aug. 21.

Final accounts to be heard in the matter of the estates of Garry Brown and Jerry W. Joslin, deceased, Aug. 28th.

On Sept. 5th the appointment of administrators in the estates of Nicholas B. Collins and of Timothy R. Soper, deceased, will be considered.

In the case of W. W. Seymour, deceased, the supplemental final account of the administrator, was heard by the court Monday.

KATHERINE E. KEISY,
Probate Register.

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Will often cause a horrible burn, scald, cut or bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures old sores, fever sores, ulcers, boils, feline, corns, all skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by W. E. Collins & Co., druggists.

Real Estate Transfers.

MORRICE.
Agnes L. Rann to J. L. Bennett and wife, lots 24 and 25, bk 1, Wells' add, \$50.

DURAND.
T. M. Grail to R. A. McNamee, part lot 16, bk 7, Land Co's 2d add, \$100.

OWOSSO.
J. H. Laverock to C. A. Fillingier, part lot 18, sub lot 5, \$1,000.
A. R. Newman to B. Cross, part n e 1/4 sec 25, \$700.

J. S. Hoyt to E. A. Ward, lot 6 and part lot 3, bk 13, \$1,700.

CORUNNA.
T. Smith to E. A. Utley, lot 12, bk 13, \$75.

L. Hovey to W. L. Parker, lot 3, bk 27, \$50.

NEW LOTHROP.
E. England to E. A. Utley, lot 11, bk 5, \$500.

HENDERSON.
M. Allen to F. Dewitt, lot 6, bk 5, \$265.

PERRY.
H. White to F. Confer, s w 1/4 of s e 1/4 sec 33, \$800.

BANCROFT.
B. D. Black to M. L. Wilcox and wife, lots 12 and 13, bk 1, \$1,000.

HAZELTON.
N. Mosher to A. T. Holcomb, part n w 1/4 sec 34, \$5.00.

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With LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price 75c. All drug Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Marriage Licenses.

Chas. E. Card, Corunna..... 25
Anna Rambusch, Corunna..... 25

Michael Loux, Hazelton..... 22
Iva Nelson, Hazelton..... 18

J. H. West, Durand..... 26
Anna Pierce, Lansing..... 19

P. C. Fires, Durand..... 28
Jessie E. Keagle, Owosso..... 24

Orel M. Arthur, Perry..... 22
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Mothers loose their dread for "that terrible second summer" when they have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in the house. Nature's specific for summer complaints of every sort.

Keep in mind, tell all your neighbors, and invite all farmers to be at Farmers' Club Picnic Saturday, August 12th, at Caledonia Park. Note change of date, August 12th not Aug. 16th. This meets general approval, as many wish to avail themselves of the opportunity to visit Detroit and Michigan Agricultural college on the excursions of the latter date. It also gives opportunity to hear Prof. A. J. Cook, who has pushed the club movement to such success in southern California. Remember date, Saturday, Aug. 12th. E. J. Cook, President.

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Only women over forty like to take a trip without a trunk.

Itching piles? Never mind if everything else failed to cure you. Try Doan's Ointment. No failure there. 50 cents, at any drug store.

Marriage proposals are like surprise parties—no surprise at all.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.
Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic, clear your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets—beauty for ten cents. All drug stores, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

The Elks' Carnival and Street Fair, to be held in Saginaw, Aug. 14 to 19, will unquestionably be the premier amusement event of the year in Michigan. The Midway has shown in Columbus, O., Dayton, O., Pittsburgh, and other cities, to hundreds of thousands of people, all of whom pronounce it the greatest show ever seen since the World's Fair. Besides this there will be an industrial exposition shown in artistic and attractive booths constructed after European models. Half rates have been made on all railroads, and special trains will be run out of Saginaw each evening.

Spain's Greatest Need.
Mr. O. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest Blood and nerve remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, gives vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. If weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cents. Sold by W. E. Collins & Co., druggists.

The following is a list of letter advertised Aug. 5, at the Owosso postoffice: Ruth Nickle, Mrs. Arthur G. Little, Chas. O. Fox, Mrs. Carrie Hughes, Edwin H. Huxley, Mrs. Ernest Lamb, S. L. Sherman, Eva Shaffer, T. D. Thomas, Katherine Watton, Mrs. Geo. W. Young, Mary Mason, Wigoll Sutha, Louis Carpenter, Lucy Hall.

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